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Bow Island News

NOTICE

A Beginners' Class in the Primary Room will be started on April 9th, and no pupils will be accepted for that class after the 18th. of April.

Bow Island School District

A. C. Gage
Sec. Treas.

Pathetic Death of Infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gibbons

The sad funeral of the little infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.M. Gibbons of Maleb, took place on Thursday 22nd. March, from St. Michael's Church at Bow Island, and was largely attended by relatives and neighbours. Pneumonia set in following a cold, she was also cutting teeth. Mr. and Mrs. Gibbons have the sympathy of the community in the loss of their only daughter, and also their youngest son who died but a few months ago.

"The Review" tender its deepest sympathy to the parents in this their hour of sorrow.

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The Date on which it is safe to re-seed Fields in the Prairie Provinces after they have been devastated by the Pale Western Cutworm

By H. L. Seamans and E. H. Strickland

When they are:
(3/4 inch) long — Do not re-seed in less than 5 weeks
(7/8 inch) long — Do not re-seed in less than 4 weeks
(1 inch) long — Do not re-seed in less than 3 weeks
(1 1/4 inch) long — Do not re-seed in less than 2 weeks
(1 1/2 inch) long — Full grown. Sow in about 1 week time

There is danger to a second seeding if it is sown too soon after a first has been destroyed by cutworms.

It is never safe to re-seed a field in which the first crop has been destroyed by cutworms until these are mature and have ceased to feed, except under ideal moisture conditions.

If the cutworms are able to destroy the first seeding while they are only half grown, they will certainly do as much damage to a second crop which is just appearing above ground when they are nearly full grown.

A Happy Evening

Presentations made to
Rev. F. R. B. Leacroft and
Mrs. B. T. Whitney

A crowded Social was held on Monday night at the home of Mrs. Avery by the members of the All Saints Ladies' Aid, the occasion being marked by two Presentations.

A set of Military Hair Brushes, in a leather case, with his initial in silver on the back of each brush, was presented to the Rev. F. R. B. Leacroft by the Ladies of the "Aid" as a small recognition of his services here in Bow Island.

Rev. Leacroft very nicely spoke his thanks to the Ladies of the Aid not only for the gift on the present occasion but also for the many acts of kindness and courtesy he received when visiting in Bow Island.

Then Mrs. H. T. Whitney was also remembered for her untiring efforts as Organist at All Saints' Church, the Ladies Aid presenting her with a Hand Painted Tea Set of Nippon China. Mrs. Whitney has always endeavored to be at the Church to play the Organ, even since the Church was built, often encountering adverse weather and other difficulties to be at her post, it was a great pleasure to the Ladies of the Aid to be able to show a little of their appreciation to Mrs. Whitney for her work at the Organ by thus presenting her with this Tea Service.

Mrs. Whitney was indeed much surprised and said she "greatly appreciated the thought that her work was valued, it had always been a pleasure to her to supply the post of Organist and she laughingly remarked that Mr. Leacroft said in his speech that he "needed those brushes badly" so she also needed the Tea Service.

A very nice and dainty lunch was served by the members of the Ladies' Aid, which all enjoyed heartily and everyone seemed to be intimately sociable, thus making the evening true to its name, "A Social Evening."

Mrs. Salvage with her son, Wallace and daughter Annie from Grassy Lake, Rev. Leacroft, and several others were guests at the Social, the Ladies of the Aid were very pleased to greet and entertain them, it is to be hoped we may have many more happy evenings spent together like this.

All Saints' Ladies' Aid will meet on April 4th, Wednesday evening 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Duffy, senior.

Confirmation Class

A Confirmation Class was held in All Saints' Church last Monday evening, by the Rev. Leacroft. The next class will be held on the 9th, April, anyone wishing to be confirmed will meet at the All Saints' Church at 7:30 p.m. on Monday the 9th. of April.

There were splendid attendances at the services last Sunday in All Saints' Church, Rev. Leacroft taking the services.

Easter Services

Arrangements have been made by Rev. Leacroft to hold Easter Services in All Saints' Church on Tuesday the 10th. April, at the usual Sunday hours. Holy Communion will be celebrated in the morning.

A. E. Tunstall has signed up a Contract with the Ford Motor Company for the Ford Service Station.

More Bow Island News on Middle Page

Bow Island Coal Mine

WILL REOPEN

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EASTER SALE

A Sale of Easter Eggs, Homemade Candy and Afternoon Tea under the auspices of the All Saints' Ladies Aid, in the T.O.O.F. Hall, Bow Island on Saturday 31st. March starting at 3 o'clock.

Dr. Zimmerman the dentist of Taber who was in Bow Island on Wednesday and Thursday was very busy, on account of the nice weather quite a number of people were in from the country.

Mr. F. J. Henderson returned last Friday from California where he has been for the past few months.

Mr. Wm. Kew left for Huntington, B. C. on Wednesday.

Do You Want A Good Time?

If so, be sure and go to the Fun Making at Whitla, to be held under the Auspices of the U.F.A.

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And the Music—Oh Boys! its going to be "Real Good." The Posters are out, be sure you get one, Everything is on them.

We want to see you, come and have a "Good Time."

Mrs. Geo. Brown, formerly of Bow Island was in Bow Island on Tuesday.

Mrs. Grund and family expect to leave Bow Island shortly.

Mr. K. Klenzsch left for Calgary on March 26th.

Ford Service Station Genuine Ford Parts

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BOW ISLAND

Miss King of Maleb is visiting at her home in Dewinton for a few days.

BORN — To Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Garrison on Monday 26th. March a daughter.

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Divine Sarah Passes Away The World's Most Famous Tragic Actor

Paris, March 26th. Madame Sarah Bernhardt is dead she died in the arms of her son Maurice who entered her room at that moment

Sarah Bernhardt was born October 23rd, 1845, in Paris her real name was Madame Danala, M. Jacques Danala her husband predeceased her She was of Jewish descent and of mixed French and Dutch parentage. In 1858 she entered the French Conservatoire, and gained prizes for tragedy and comedy in 1861 and 1862 but left Paris at the Theatre Francaise in Iphigenie was not a success. After a brief retirement she reappeared at the Gymnase and the Porte Saint-Martin in burlesque, and in 1867 at the Odéon in Paris in higher drama. Her success in Victor Hugo's Roi Blas led to her being recalled to the Theatre Francaise, after which she abundantly proved her dramatic genius. In 1882 she married M. Danala, a Greek. Her tours, both in Europe and America, never failed to be successful, despite a marked degree of eccentricity. She has exhibited as a sculptor at the Paris Salon.

With the passing of the great French tragedienne a link has been severed with the glories of the stage of the last century. In spite of her great age she continued to delight the world with her wonderful genius and her versatility in various tragic parts including that of Hamlet. To the French she was ever the "Divine Sarah" and so she was regarded throughout the civilized world

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Mr. Harold Gibbons expects to leave shortly for the oil fields near the border

Mr. Jack Portune, has completed drilling his overflow well, and besides an abundance of water he also has a good pressure of gas, which supplies plenty for lighting and heating, and then some over, it is one of the best wells in the country

Mrs. Famine returned home on Sat. today after being away a few months visiting her parents

Mrs. F. J. Henderson arrived in Bow Island yesterday Thursday

Don't Forget "We Nightly Pitch Our Moving Tent A Day's March Nearer Home and to God." Do Not Forget Your Church.

All Saints' Church
Rev. Lencroft, Preacher
Easter Services will be held on Tuesday April 10th.
Morning Service 11 a.m.
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
Everybody Welcome

Service at Fertile Plains
Service will be held at Fertile Plains School House at 2 o'clock on Easter Sunday, April 1st.
(conducted in English)
Good Music and Singing
Everybody Welcome
Rev. T. Danielson

Winnifred

Mrs. Roy Colthorpe is in Medicine Hat visiting at the home of her parents for a few weeks

Mr. and Mrs. John Holder returned March 26th. from Kitchener, R.C. where Mr. Holder has been employed during the winter

Miss Davidson, Health Inspector visited Winnifred school last week

Mr. Julius Levenne returned last Saturday from Medicine Hat Hospital very much improved his friends are glad to hear

WHITLA

Miss L. Harrington of Whitla has gone to Calgary to train as a nurse her friends gave a party before she left and gave her a present of money; an enjoyable evening was spent in cards and dancing

St. Michael's Church
Mass will be celebrated on Sunday 1st. April at 11 a.m.

United Church Bow Island
Easter Services April 1st.
1:30 p.m. Preaching service at Lundell
3:30 p.m. Preaching service at Fairlight
7:30 p.m. Preaching service at Bow Island
Sunday School Session each Sunday 11 a.m. at Bow Island and Haig
The Bow Island Sunday School are planning a special Easter Program a Missionary Collection will be taken
Everybody is welcome at these meetings
C.G. Heekin Pastor

Grain Prices

Local prices for grain here at Bow Island on Thursday 28th. March are as follows:-
Wheat No. 1 Northern 92c. per bushel
Oats 22c. W. 38c. per bushel
Rye 61c. per bushel
Flax \$1.11 per bushel
Barley 86c. per bushel

Prices of Butter and Eggs

Local Prices for Butter and Eggs on Thursday the 28th, were:-
Butter 55c. and Eggs 15c.

For Trade or Sale

A Chevrolet Truck, I will trade for Ford Touring Car in good condition
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Death of Mrs. DeBeeld

Word has been received here of the death of Mrs. Martin DeBeeld

The Weather

March 1923
Temperatures taken in the morning about 8 o'clock
Friday 25th. 12 above
Saturday 26th. 22 " Dull
Sunday 27th. 36 " Sunny
Monday 28th. 40 " Sunny
Tuesday 29th. 42 " Sunny
Wednesday 28th. 44 " Dull
Thursday 29th. 35 " Cloudy
and trying to snow

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A Forest of Riddles

Here is a whole "Forest" of good riddles. Each one is a tree. Catch your friends with them:-
What does the sea wash against? Beach.
What does a carpenter use? Plane
What tree is important in history? Date.
What tree is on your hands? Palm
What is another word for give? Pine
What tree does a stern schoolmaster use? The Birch
What is the nearest tree in the forest? The Spruce
What is the most venerable tree? Elder
What sticks?— Gum
What can you pack your clothes in? Box
Although there is only one, there must be two. What tree can that be? Pear (Pair)
What tree will be left when the whole forest of riddles has been turned down? The Ash

Kitchen Range For Sale

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We think that if he were to visit Alberta he would be Deftly Applauded and carried in Triumph shoulders high by his enthusiastic admirers.

His astuteness in turning an enemy into a friend, could well be followed by many of his officers holding high and responsible positions in the C.P.R.

Quarter of Million To Save "Victory"

Generous Contribution to Fund From a "Well Wisher of the Navy"

LONDON—The fund to save Nelson's famous flagship the "Victory" has been swelled by a gift of £50,000 from a "well wisher of the navy"

For some time the old wooden man-of-war has been rotting in her dry dock at Portsmouth, but the work of restoring her will soon begin, so that she may be a symbol of wave-riding Britannia. It is expected that the craft will be kept in drydock dedicated to her use alone although the suggestion has been made that she should be placed at the base of the Nelson column in Trafalgar Square

Nelson's "Victory" the fifth ship of that name in the British navy, was laid down in 1759. She saw 34 years of service

Will Try To Make It Rain

Scientists to Electrify "Roof of Clouds" From Airplanes

MOONSVILLE, W. Va.—A sergeant and three soldiers have arrived at the army flying field here, to prepare for the coming of scientists who will endeavor to produce rain by dropping electrically charged sand from airplanes on the "roof of the clouds." It was said at the field that two or three weeks will be required before the preparations are complete

The experiments are to be conducted by Professor Wilder D. Bancroft of Cornell university and L. Francis Warren of New York, who will also endeavor to dissipate fog

Rain Making Successful

Experiments With Electrified Sand From Airplane Bring Results.

WASHINGTON—Rain making by use of the airplane has been demonstrated to be practicable in experiments conducted at the Dayton army air station, Brigadier General William Mitchell, of the army air service, said in an address here. The experiments, he said were being continued by scientists with the use of army air equipment in order to perfect the process

As described by General Mitchell, the experiments consisted of sending up an airplane loaded with fine sand which had been charged with positive electricity. When the sand was shot into the clouds, a precipitation was induced, he said, by the contact of the positive electricity of the sand with the negative current in the clouds

Mortgage Sale of Farm Property

Pursuant to the directions of the Registrar and by virtue of the powers of sale provided by the Land Titles Act under a certain mortgage there will be offered for sale by public auction at the Metropolitan Hotel, Bow Island, Alberta, on Saturday the 14th day of April A.D. 1923, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon

The North West quarter of Section Thirteen (13), Township Nine (9), Range Eleven (11), West of the Fourth Meridian containing 100 acres more or less, reserving unto His Majesty, His Successors and Assigns all mines and minerals

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Winnifred News

From Our Own Correspondent

Mrs. A. D. McLeath returned from Medicine Hat March 24th, and is very much improved in health

Mr. Murphy of Medicine Hat manager on the grasshopper poison bait for this district was in Winnifred on March 26th.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hartin returned from their winter trip March 26th, farm another year in southern Alberta

Mrs. Castle and Mrs. Ed. Gosselin entertained the Ladies' Aid Thursday March 29th

Mr. Clarence Purcell of MacLeod is visiting friends in this district this week

Mr. J. Matherson of Calgary was a business visitor in these districts and left March on Monday

Mr. Fred Brown with his family and effects are moving back to their farm this week, they have spent three months in Winnifred to put the children to school

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hickmore were given a surprise party on Saturday evening March 24th, the fine weather brought out a large crowd, and dancing were enjoyed, when honors for cards were won by Mrs. Trebble and Mrs. M. J. Collins presiding over the affair, it is very much regretted that the members of Socials are drawing in a close, the general opinion being that they should have started earlier in the season

Travellers who visited Winnifred last week: Mr. Hill of Calgary, Mr. A. Blocher, Mr. W. Knack of Lethbridge, Mr. Milroy and Mr. Brown of Medicine Hat

Everyone seems to be getting ready for spring work, indications point to an early spring, there will not be as much grain seeded in this district as last year, many are short of feed for spring work and many more short of seed and all are stiffed down and short of money, so this will cut down the acreage in this district, Wicker Bay is making a big showing every day the ground thaws and all report the Rye is in good shape

The people are enjoying the fine weather even though the roads are in bad condition for travelling

Mr. P.C. Buehring is in Calgary on a business trip this week

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A BOYS' PILGRIMAGE TO ALASKA



GEORGE E. BUCHANAN, a Chatham, Ont. boy who is now a prosperous coal dealer in Detroit, attributes his success largely to an offer made him when he was a boy that he would have a trip to Europe if he saved up a third of the cost. The offer was made by a friend who promised to lend a third provided George's father lent the other third, the loans to be repaid when George could afford to do so. Here was a real incentive for saving, and when the trip was made it proved of an educational value that has stood him in good stead all his life. Last year Mr. Buchanan made a trip to Alaska, and the idea occurred to him of making the same kind of offer to other boys that he had himself enjoyed in his own youth. But the trip should be to Alaska and not to Europe. As soon as he made the announcement, and a large party of Detroit boys has already been looked to call from Vancouver on the Canadian Pacific steamer "Princess Louise" on July 14th. Mr. Buchanan will personally conduct the tour which he is thus helping to finance. He says that such a trip would have been worth \$50,000 to him if he had taken it him-

self in his own boyhood because of its educational and broadening influences. The Rev. Lynn Harold Hough, pastor of the Central Methodist Church, William Livingstone, president of the Dime Savings Bank, and Circuit Judge Joseph A. Moynihan have indorsed Buchanan's scheme as an unusual opportunity for boys to learn the value of thrift and industry. But the trip will have still other benefits, as Mr. Buchanan has said. These lads cannot cross the continent and take that wonderful trip on the island-sheltered waters of the Pa-

cific Coast without its having a tremendously stimulating effect upon their imagination, and upon their future modes of thought and life. From Vancouver up to Skagway and back is a nine-day trip that can never be forgotten. The yacht-like "Princess Louise" glides over a still sea among countless islands that rise for- rejected or mountainous on either side against a snow line of snow-capped mountain peaks. The Indian villages of Alaska with their totem poles are unique, and they too will have a special charm for these fifty fortunate boys.

AN ELECTRIC LAUNDRY ABOARD SHIP



It has been said that the modern ocean liner is a floating hotel, and this is probably the best description that can be given. A modern hotel is a city in itself, and a modern ocean liner of the type of the Canadian Pacific "Empress" is certainly no less. When a couple of thousand or so of passengers are cut off from land to spend a week or more on the ocean, they must have every convenience and comfort that land can provide. The ship must be self-sustaining in every particular. In this respect Canadian Pacific ships are as complete as modern aviation can make them, and whether their trips extend for one week, or six weeks as does the cruise of the Mediterranean which the "Empress of France" made this winter, or even for three months as in the case of the cruise around the world to be made by the "Empress of Australia" this year, nothing is lacking to ensure the complete happiness of all on board.

As an instance of the way in which modern liners are equipped, the newly installed laundry of the "Empress of France" is well worth comment. It cost \$25,000 and its complete plant and large staff of workers make it probably the finest of its kind afloat. In addition to the large amount of work undertaken for passengers at shore prices, it deals with 100,000 pieces of shirt waives per week. This new department is under the management of G. H. Hume, junior, who controls all of six men and thirty women. Three washing machines form part of the equipment, and one of these, the largest ever fitted to a liner, is capable of dealing with 3,000 pieces of linen at a time, each piece being subjected to the entire washing process, without removal. There is also a huge ironing machine which will iron and dry sheets at the rate of 400 per hour after they have been passed through a power wringer. This machine is operated by a team of nine girls. The higher class of laundry work is done by skilled ironers with press machines and electric irons, while shirts and collars, etc., are starched and finished by machines specially fitted for the purpose. All the machinery is electrically driven, and there are elaborate electrical controls for starting, stopping and regulating the machines. In the case

of the washing machines, electric motors are fitted to the top of them, controlled by an electric timing device which regulates the revolving and reversing of the inside cylinders. The oil-burning "Empress of France" has a length of 571 feet, beam 72 feet, depth 42 feet, and gross tonnage of 18,481. The speed which made her such an asset to the navy during the war is still maintained, and Captain John Gillies, her commander, is the hero of many an exciting race to port. Once aboard the "Empress" one has nothing to do but enjoy life while awaiting the end of the journey which usually arrives all too soon. She is a beautifully appointed ship with seven first class public rooms, including a lounge, smoking room, card room, and library. Provision is made in the second-class quarters for three public rooms, and spacious deck space affords all passengers more than sufficient room for open air games and exercise. Her storage accommodation is in many ways about equal to the cabin accommodations of Atlantic liners of a few years ago, and her first and second-class provide every comfort that has been devised.

BEARDLESS vs BEARDED VARIETIES OF WHEAT

(Experimental Farms Note)

Seventeen years ago only one hundred million bushels of wheat were produced on the prairies; in 1922, three hundred and sixty-six millions of bushels were produced. On looking over the history of cereal production in Western Canada, we find that this phenomenal increase was due largely to the successive introductions of various wheats. White Russian was supplemented by Red Fife and Red Fife by Marquis. This of course, refers only to the main crop wheats. A remarkable feature of this is that all of the above mentioned wheats are Beardless or Bald.

During the transitional stage of the supplanting of Red Fife by Marquis, many other varieties of wheat were introduced and tried, but at no time did any of these varieties become popular. Reference is made more particularly to such wheats as Stanley, Percy, Preston and Huron. These wheats did not gain in popularity owing to various reasons, chiefly, though, because of inferiority to Red Fife. Of these wheats Huron and Preston were Bearded varieties and were soon discarded because they were unsuitable for prairie growth, and interior in baking qualities. Stanley and Percy made some headway and are still grown in some localities. It should be noticed that these two wheats are Beardless.

Let us now consider the more recent introductions on the Canadian prairie, such as Ruby, Red Bobs, Supreme, Early Triumph, Kitchener, Early Red Fife and Kinley, all of which are Beardless. What does this mean? It means that the Canadian West, at the present time, demands a Bald Wheat.

There are also numerous Bearded wheats, some of which have already been referred to, that have been tried in the West with only partial success. Among these may be mentioned Huron, Pioneer, Prelude and Preston. It may be truthfully said of all the above mentioned Bearded wheats that they are more subject to shattering than Beardless wheats this is a very important factor to be considered in the prairies where winds are so prevalent. Again the above mentioned wheats all produce flour of inferior quality and colour to such wheats as Red Fife, Marquis, Ruby, or, in other words, most of our Bald Wheats. This statement must not be interpreted to mean that all Bald wheats are superior in quality to all Bearded wheats. This is not the case, although it appears from our present knowledge that the best Bald wheats produce a higher quality flour than our best Bearded wheats.

Canada is noted for its high quality, hard, red spring wheat. Let us, therefore, maintain the high place that we now hold in the markets of the Empire, and of the world. This may be done by continuing to grow wheats of the highest quality. As we have seen most of these are Bald or Beardless. I do not mean to say that we must grow only Bald wheats, and lose sight of the other influencing factors. If a really good Bearded variety should be introduced, by all means grow it, but at the present time there is no Bearded wheat that can or should supplant the Beardless varieties now grown.

P. Russell Cowan—Cerealist

Central Experimental Farm—Ottawa

Burdett News

From our own Correspondent

Rev. Percy Johnston wishes to announce the following: There will be a special service in the United Church, Burdett, on Easter Sunday April 1st. Special hymns, anthems, and music will be rendered. The Snowdrop Class of the United Church have broadcasted an open invitation, to all parents, friends, boys and girls to attend an open session of the class to be held in the church on GOOD FRIDAY, March 30th. The session will be of a devotional character. It will be in commemoration of the Crucifixion of Jesus Christ our Lord. You are all heartily welcome to attend this session of the snowdrop class.

Pantry Sale

The Ladies' Aid of the United Church, Burdett, are busily engaged preparing for a "Sale of Fancy and Useful Articles and a Pantry Sale," which they propose holding in the Hotel Dining Room on Saturday from 2 until 6 o'clock in the afternoon. During the afternoon they will serve Afternoon Tea. It will be a great pleasure to meet, and shake hands with their friends at the opening of the spring season.

Mr. C. L. Hunsdale was in Lethbridge a few days this week.

Mr. John Hoppel, of Spokane, Wash., has returned to take charge of his farm. John says "there are worse places than Burdett and he is satisfied to come back."

Ray Sandy who has been in Portland, Ore. all winter has returned home and Miss Edith Sandy of Lethbridge is home for the Easter holidays.

Lonie Shog was a visitor in Lethbridge on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. August Johnson went to Medicine Hat on Monday to consult Dr. Isenbacher. Mr. Johnson returned Tuesday while Mrs. Johnson stayed in the hospital for treatment.

The Burdett Women's Institute will hold their regular business meeting every two Saturdays in the month in stead of Wednesday.

The next regular meeting will be at the home of Mrs. C. L. Hunsdale at 2:30 p.m. sharp on Saturday April 7th.

Surprise Party

A few friends made up a surprise party and visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart south of town. Cards and dancing were the order of the evening.

The music supplied by the Messrs. Stewart and Anderson's String Band was all that could be desired. "Pee Wee" is the latest Fox Trot and it is a "Billy" you can't keep your trotter's still.

Everyone had a good time and went home in time for the morning chores.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart make a splendid host and hostess.

Entertainment By The Burdett Women's Institute

"An Indoor Chataqua"

Representing five nights 1st. Night-Concert, Company in charge of Mrs. Rygg. 2nd. Night-Musical Entertainers in charge of Mrs. Mansfield. 3rd. Night-Living Pictures in charge of Mrs. Bishop. 4th. Night-The Famous Associated Players will present their one act play "Mrs. Follanshee's Tramp" in charge of Mrs. Andrews. 5th. Night-Coonville Jubilee Singers in charge of Mrs. Johnston followed by a Dance, Huron's Orchestra. Concert: 35c. Children 15c. Dance: Gents 75c. The proceeds to be devoted to Community work.

Sad Death of little Audrey

Sweet Little Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Collins

Passed Away The young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Collins, age 2 years passed away on Tuesday March 27th. The sympathy of the whole community goes out to the bereaved parents.

Consumer Paid \$7 Barrel-More Than Producer Got

OTTAWA—Ontario apples of varieties which net the producer two dollars a barrel on the trees are peddled in small measure lots from door to door in Montreal at a price equivalent to nine dollars a barrel. This information was given to the special agriculture committee of the house by R. B. Scripture, apple grower and buyer of Brighton, Ontario. The wholesaler in Montreal, said Mr. Scripture, paid about \$5 for the apples; the retailers claimed he must get 20 per cent; the boss peddler and small peddler between them take practically fifty per cent profit.

Our Readers will observe that the "Review" in the above News Item is quoting Scripture.

Burdett Church Notices

THE UNITED CHURCH, BURDETT

Sunday School 11 a.m.

Preaching Service 7:30 p.m.

Thursday Ladies Aid 2:30 p.m.

Sneakham Class 4 p.m.

Dynamo Camp 7:30 p.m.

Friday Snowdrop Girls 7 p.m.

Everybody is heartily welcome to these services.

Percy Johnson, Pastor

L.D.S. CHURCH

Job Llewellyn, Bishop

Sunday School every Sunday at 11 a.m.

Sacrament Service 2 p.m.

Mutual Improvement 7:50 p.m.

14th Society Tuesday 7 p.m.

Primary Saturday 2 p.m.

Choir Practice Thursday 8 p.m.

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BURDETT

ALBERTA

ABLE TO SEVER STEEL CHAINS WITH TEETH

Wonderful Feat Performed By Jewish Athlete in Presence of Experts

LONDON.—That a Jewish athlete named Breitbart, 31 years of age, six feet three inches and weighing 210 pounds, can bite through steel, is vouched for by a medical correspondent of the Lancet.

Breitbart's performances astounded a committee of physicians, engineers, smiths and presidents of athletic corporations who saw him sever with his teeth several iron and steel chains one fifth of an inch thick, bend into a circle iron rods half an inch square, using his mouth as a fulcrum; bend over his head a nail four inches thick by two and a half inches.

The correspondent says the "committee is satisfied that he accomplishes the tasks by means of extraordinary muscular power coupled with excellent scientific training and muscular energy."

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Here and There

Gold production in Canada in 1922 passed the million ounce mark for the first time since 1902.

Public works to be undertaken in Vancouver this year will cost in the neighbourhood of \$10,000,000, of which \$5,000,000 will be spent by the Canadian Pacific Railway on pier construction.

The Canadian Pacific steamship Montcalm carried 800 emigrants to Canada on her last voyage from Liverpool. The largest number of emigrants to leave that port this year.

Work was commenced last week on the new elevators at the Ballantyne Pier, Vancouver, which will cost approximately \$2,000,000 to complete. The new elevator will have a storage capacity of 1,000,000 bushels.

Invermere, B.C.—An appropriation of the balance of the building of a depot at Lake Windermere by the Canadian Pacific Railway. Lake Windermere is the largest for the whole of the Lake Windermere district. It enjoys the distinction of being the only station on the Lake Windermere branch between Golden and Fort Steele, which has enjoyed the benefit of an agent since December, 1914. A modest, little portable depot, a box car on the ground, has done duty all these years but with the proposed opening of the Lake Windermere branch on the 1st of June, it is no doubt thought that it is time the old box car took a move.

The first leader of Free and Accepted Masons in the history of the Merchant Marine World, was recently organized on the Canadian Pacific liner Progress of France, when cruising the Mediterranean Sea with a party of 800 Canadian and United States tourists.

KINGSTON.—Prominent officials of the Canadian Pacific Railway were in the city in connection with local matters connected with the railway service. H. J. Mann, superintendent of the division, and Col. Ripley, district engineer, inspected the new overhead bridge on the new line entering the city and which is now about completed. The rails are being laid and soon to be running over them and a great source of danger will be removed in the diamond switch that has been in operation for so many years at heavy expense.

The Canadian Pacific Railway has arranged with a number of European countries for the emigration of farmers and domestic workers willing to come to Canada for employment. The emigrants will be brought to Canada at the joint expense of their home governments and the railway company.

St. John, N.B.—The Canadian Pacific steamer "Boilingbrook" recently brought from London the largest import cargo to reach St. John since the war. It was staming to the wharves with more than 4,500 tons of general merchandise. Capt. E. Laidy, who is in command, said that he had never carried a more valuable cargo and expressed great satisfaction that not a single package had been lost. Included in the cargo were silks and other valuable dress goods, dry goods of various descriptions, perfumes and many other expensive commodities. A cargo of this kind makes lots of work for the longshoremen.

Four thousand seven hundred and eight-four cars of last season's fruit crop have been shipped out of the Okanagan district of British Columbia up to February 14th, according to a statement made to the Vancouver Board of Trade recently by F. W. Peters, general superintendent of the Canadian Pacific Railway, B.C. division.

Ottawa.—The Canadian National Parks Branch of the Department of the Interior is completing the construction of a hydro-electric generating station in Canada creek in the Pacific National Park to supply light and power for the town of Banff, Alberta. The dam at the outlet of Lake Minnewanka constructed in 1917 to provide storage facilities, will be utilized also to ensure a steady flow of water for power purposes without further impairing the scenic attractions of the locality. Electric power for Banff is at present obtained from the steam plants of the Banffshire Mines. The work will be undertaken by day labour.

Three thousand seven hundred fifteen grain elevators in Manitoba, Saskatchewan, and Alberta have a total storage capacity of over 100,000,000 bushels. Ontario, Quebec and Maritime provinces have 10,000 elevators with capacity up to 3,180,000 bushels.

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